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moring Centella Maiese for her dedition to her community. As wife of Winow Township's Mayor Dominic Maiese, entella has maintained an active proe through both the church and club, the benefit of many others. Certainly, 1 outstanding woman such as this derves recognition. As such, I would like i join her family and friends on June 30 honoring her. May Centella continue) succeed in all her endeavors.

THE ART OF GOVERNMENT

HON. TOM HAGEDORN

OF MINNESOTA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Wednesday, June 28, 1978

Mr. HAGEDORN. Mr. Speaker, while t is the multi-billion-dollar expenditures hat do them the most damage, it is frequently the petty indignities heaped ipon taxpayers by many public officials hat most infuriate them. A recent eximple is the case of the 257 "unlocated" vorks of art that have been loaned out by the National Collection of Fine Arts to rarious executive offices.

According to a report by Dom Bonalede in the National Journal, at least 257 original works of art, purchased with tax dollars for the enjoyment of the public, and loaned primarily to Presidential aides, are likely never to be recovered. While no total value has been placed on these works, it is worth noting that only the highest quality art work is ever accepted or purchased by the collection in the first place.

This bipartisan thievery, and there is no other name for it in my opinion, typifies the lack of respect, manifested in so many other ways, that too many public officials have for taxpayer dollars. I would like to bring to the attention of my colleagues the complete list of these missing paintings. While I doubt it, I would hope that some of their current "possessors" would be shamed into returning their stolen property.

The list follows:

THE TREASURE HUNT FOR 257 WORKS OF ART (The following are the "unlocated" works

of art, by artist and the year and agency to which they were loaned:)

W. H. Holmes, "A Md. Meadow, Watt's Branch, Near Rockville," 1/25/46, President

"Thomas Jefferson," Houdon. 12/3/46. White House.

"George Washington," 12-3/46, Houdon. White House.

A. P. Barney, "Village Street," 9,18/53, OMB.

A. P. Barney, "Bar Harbor," 9/18/53, OMB. Hal Denton, "The Right Honorable Winston Churchill," 9/26/57, OMB.

Sidney L. Smith, "The Hon. Theodore Prosevelt," 9/26/57, OMB.

R. P. Seymour, "Tree Study," 2/1/61, OMB. R. P. Seymour, "The Rough Camp," 2/1/61, OMB.

W. A. Sherwood, 'Pecheurs de Crevettes,' 2/1/61, OMB.

Thayer, "Male Wood Duck," 8,8/62, President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity (defunct).

H. L. Doolittle, "From the High Sierras," 3,1/63, OMB.

F. P. Dodge, "A Ravine," 3/1/63, OMB. F. F. Dodge, "Old Bridge, Jackson Park," 3/1/63, OMB.

Gustaf Dalstrom, "Cloudy Day," 3/1/63, OMB.

Beatrice S. Levy, "Rain in the Hills," 3/1/63, OMB.

B. E. Jacques, "Hampstead Heath, London," 3/1/63, OMB. B. R. Jacques, "Cabin in the Wilderness,"

3/1/63, OMB. B. E. Jacques, "Venice Fisherman," 3/1/63, OMB

B. E. Jacques, "Mill in Delft," 3/1/63, OMB. "Evening Shadows," 3/1/63, Dahlgreen, OMB.

Dahlgreen, "Morning Shadows," 3/1/63,

Dahlgreen, "Winter Shadows," 3/1/63, OMB. Dahlgreen, "Snowbound Creek," 3/1/63,

OMB. "The Rail Fence," 3/1/63, Dahlgreen, OMB.

J. H. Euston, "Pines along the Shore," 7/17/63, OMB.

J. H. Euston, "Spens in the Snow," 7/17/63. OMB.

Euston, "Verdugo Woodland," H. 7/17/63, OMB. Euston. "San Gabriel Divide,"

7/17/63, OMB. Tallmadge, "Poplar Trees on the Dunes," 7/17/63. OMB.

R. Thompson, "Afternoon," 7/17/63, OMB. Thompson, "The Watcher," 7/17/63, OMB. Zella de Milhau, "Sand Dunes, Southampton, Long Island, N.Y.," 7/17/63, OMB.

"Kentucky Backyard," 7/17/63. Hurley, OMB.

H. M. Hobbs, "Tower, Belgian Village, A Century of Progress," 7/17/63, OMB. H. M. Hobbs, "The Cottage," 7/17/63, OMB.

H. M. Hobbs, "Church in the Belgian Village," 7/17/63, OMB.

H. M. Hobbs, "Chimney Pots of Old Brest," 7/17/63, OMB.

B. E. Jacques, "Mountain Ash," 7/17/63, OMB. B. E. Jacques, "May Cherries," 7/17/63,

OMB. B. E. Jacques, "Castor Bean," 7/17/63,

OMB. Leslie Thompson, "Autumn Days,"

7/17/63, OMB. R. W. Woiceske, "Winter's Mirror," 7, 17/63, OMB.

A. Hutty, "Guardian Oaks," 7/17/63, OMB. H. Winslow, "Wood Monsters," 7/17/63.

C. F. Gaertner, "Gravel, Fish and Soya Beans," 8/23/63, OMB.
W. H. Holmes, "Study of a Bridge," 1/18/65,

White House.

W. H. Holmes, "Maryland Dirt Rd," 1/18/65, White House.

A. S. Pennoyer, "Top of the Ridge," 3/29/65, OMB.

P. C. Kirk, "Rue Petit, St. Michelle, Montreal,"

eal," 3/29/65, OMB.
F. C. Kirk, "Industry," 3/29/65, OMB.
F. C. Kirk, "Harbor at Rockport," 3/29/65. омв

Philip Kappel, "Crossed Trails," 8/30/65, OMB.

Gerand K. Geerlings, "Black Magic," 30/65, OMB.

G. K. Geerlings, "Inland Islands," 8/30/65, OMB

L. O. Griffith, "The County Seat, Broun County," 8/30/65, OMB.

Philip Kappel, "A Marine Pathway," 8/30/ 65. OMB. Gene Kloss, "Taos Indian Gift Dance," 8/

30/65, OMB. Philip Kappel, "Lobsterman at Dawn," 8/ 30, 65, OMB.

Henri de Kruif, "Gander Realm," 8/30/65, OMB.

Charles B. King, "Notre Dame," 8/30/65. OMB.

B. E. Jacques, "Spider Lake, Wisconsin," 8/30/65, OMB.

Henri de Kruif, "Dragon Mesquite," 8/30/ 65. OMB.

B. E. Jacques, "Palazzo Minelli, Venice." 8/30/65, OMB. B. E. Jacques, "Thames Shipping," 8/30/65.

OMB. B. E. Jacques, "Volendam," 8/30/65. OMB.

B. E. Jacques, "Boats on Delft Canal," 30/65, OMB.

M. Hardie, "Low Tide," 8/30/65, OMB. E. T. Hurley, "Memories of the Fair," 8/30/65, OMB.

K. Holmes, "Venice," 8/30/65, OMB. Hobbs, "Notre Dame, Paris," 8/30/65, OMB. Haberer, "Hill Top," 8/30/65, OMB. Hutty, "Northern Pines," 8/30/65.

J. E. Allen, "Connectors," 8/30/65, OMB. George C. Aid, "Les Deux Ponts, San

George C. Aid, "L. Remo," 8/30/65, OMB.

George C. Aid, "La Maison de la Blanch-isseuse," 8/30/65, OMB. Charles B. Keeler, "Old Houses, Place Terra

au Duc, Quimper," 8/30/65, OMB. C. F. Sahlin, "Salascos, Ecuador," 9/29/65,

OMB. C. F. Sahlin, "Araucanions-Chile," 9/29/65.

OMB. C. F. Sahlin, "Santiago de Atitlan-Guate-

mala," 9/29/65, OMB. C. F. Sahlin, "Shaleko Dancers," 9/29/65,

OMB. E. Kelly, "Abstraction," 10/20/65, White

House. John Sloan, "Hondo Reservoir," 12/10/65, White House.

F. W. Stokes, "Poi-du-neh," 3/66, OMB. F. W. Stokes, "Gh-Lee-Eskimo Boy," 3/66, OMB.

F. W. Stokes, "Ung-Meh-Duk-Toe, Eskimo Man," 3/66, OMB.

F. W. Stokes, Man," 3/66, OMB. "Ko-Lo-Ting-wah, Eskimo

F. W. Stokes, "Meh-soh-neh, Young Eski-" mo Boy," 3/66, OMB. F. W. Stokes, "Au-ring-ali-doh, wife of O-

to-ne-sh, Eskimo Woman," 3/66, OMB.
C. Gilbert, "Arch of Titus," 3/66, OMB.

C. Gilbert, "Pont du Gard, France," 3/66, OMB.

C. Gilbert, "Bridge at Moret, France," 3/66, OMB. C. Gilbert, "Baths of Caracalla, Rome,"

3/66, OMB. Gilbert, "Santa Maria della Salute,"

3/66. OMB. C. Gilbert, "Porta San Paulo, Rome," 3/66;

OMB. Ernest C. Peixotto, "Quaker Meeting

House," 3/66, OMB. Ernest C. Peixotto, "Park Overlooking Brooklyn," 3/66, OMB.

Ernest C. Peixotto, "Lake Scene," 3/66, OMB.

Ernest C. Peixotto, "Philadelphia, pendence Hall, Chestnut St.," 3/66, OMB.

6/67, Office of Eco-"Horses," M. Citron. nomic Opportunity.

Walter Bohl, "Irish Setter," 6/67, Special. Trade Negotiations... Representative for

(STR). Roland Clark, "Sundown," 6/67, STR.

A. Gatti, "Untitled, (Officers Reading Map)," 6/67, STR. C. Gilbert, "Carcassonne" 6/67, STR.

C. Gilbert, "Church at Segovia," 6/67, STR. C. Gilbert, "Compton Castle," 6/67, STR. C. Gilbert, "Laon Cathedral," 6/67, STR.

C. Gilbert, "On the Canal, Bruges," 6/67,-STR.

C. Gilbert, "Tower at San Francisco Romano," 6/67, STR.

Delancey Gill, "Landscape," 6/67, STR. Gordon Grant, "Hauling the Nets," 6/67. STR.

Charles Culver, "Pelican with Gull on His Hetd," 7/67, OMB

L. Macouillard, "Looking Past San Francis-co, Calif.," 11/67, White House. David Hayes, "Untitled," no date, White

Charles Culver, "Kingbirds at Nest with Eggs," no date, Camp David.

F. Palmer, "Catskill Mountains," no date, Council of Economic Advisers.

G. Antreasian, "New Mexico II," no date, CIA.

J. Ross, "Farm," no date, CIA.
G. Antreasian, "Shield," 10/27/77, CIA.

N. Azuma, "Calm" no date, CIA. Bill Moss, "Oyster Shell Mounds, Crystal, Fla.," 1/69, White House.

James Rosenquist, no name, 1/69, White House.

D. Thompson, "New Orleans," 2/69, White House.

G. Catalano, "The Canal," 2/69, White House helicopters. L. Sturges, "Spring," 2/69, White House

helicopters. R. Crosman, "Cook Tower, Rouen," 2/69.

White House helicopters.

G. E. Burr, "Winter Evening," 2/69, White House helicopters.

E. T. Thompson, "Acadian Fishing Village," 2/69, White House helicopters.

John Bellamy, "E Pluribus Unum," 2/69, White House.

Rex Brandt, "Surf Boarders, La Jolia, Calif.," no date, OMB. Edward Reep, "Panorama of Farmers Mar-

ket, L.A.," no date, OMB.

James Twitty, "Old North Road," no date, White House.

Richard Brough, "Houseboating on Rainy Lake," no date, OMB.

H. G. Wegner, "Ghost Town of Fossil, Wyoming," no date. OMB.

E. Fulwider, "Harpers Ferry, W. Va.," no fate. OMB.

R. Brough. "Winter Landscape near Scoo-

Dwight Shepler, "Cabin on Mt. Adams, New Hampshire," no date. OMB.

Unknown, "Twin Frame Houses," 3/69. White House.

Unknown, "J. Jacob Astor's Former Resilence," no date, White House.
N. Smith, "Tippecanoe County Court

Touse," no date, White House.

G. O'Connell, "Madison Series No. 2," 2/69,

resident's Commission on White House Felowshins.

S. Moy, "Refuge," no date, President's lommission on White House Fellowships. Sonia Gechfoff, "Drawing D," no date,

MB. R. L. Crawford, "Scene near Beaufort, C.," 4/69, White House.

K. Appel, "Wild Horserider," 4/69, White louse.

J. B. A. Guillemet, "Landscape," 5/69, Vhite House.

L. M. Desire-Lucas, "Village Scene," 5/09, Thite House.

C. Leich, "New England Farm," 6/69, Presient's Advisory Council on Executive Oranization (defunct).

G. Corneille, "La Soleil Rouge," 5/69, Thite House.

W. H. Holmes, "A Storm Beaten Coast," /69, White House.

Oldenburg, "Scissor Obelisk," 7/69, White louse.

P. R. Denby, "Valley Near Cades Cove, enn.," 7/69, White House.

A. Warhol, "Flowers," 9/69, White House. T. Stamos, "Abstraction," 9/69, White iouse.

Anonymous, "The Park," 10/69, White iouse.

the East River," 10/69, White House.
W. Auerbach-Levy, "Quai Grande Augus-

tine," 10/69, White House.

J. H. Moser, "Untitled" 12/69, Office of Former Presidents.

Currier & Ives, "The Bewildered Hunter," 1/70, Camp David.

Currier & Ives, "Indian Town," 1/70, Camp David.

Currier & Ives, "The Trout Pool," 1/70, Camp David.

Currier & Ives, "Blue Fishing," 1/70, Camp David.

Currier & Ives, "Wood Ducks," 1/70, Camp David. Currier & Ives, "Ruffed Grouse," 1/70,

Camp David. Currier & Ives, "The Washington Col-

umns," 1/70, Camp David.

Currier & Ives, "The Rocky Mountains," 1/70, Camp David. Currier & Ives, "Looking Down the Yosem-

ite," 1/70, Camp David. Currier & Ives, "Silver Creek, Calif.," 1/70.

Camp David. Currier & Ives, "On the Coast of Calif.,"

1/70, Camp David. Currier & Ives, "The Home of the Deer," 1/70, Camp David.

Currier & Ives, "Peytona and Fashion," 1/70, Camp David.

Currier & Ives, "Going to the Trot," 1/70, Camp David. Currier & Ives, "The Celebrated Four,"

1/70, Camp David. K. Inukai, "Force Field," 3/70, White

House. F. C. Fiquet, "General Lafayette," 3/70 White House.

F. C. Fiquet, "George Washington," 3/70, White House.

Frank Skinner, "A Picardy Orchard," 5/70, White House helicopters.

Paul Manship, "Patriotism," 6/70, White House.

J. Hnizdovsky, "The Cat," no date, White House.

B. Jacques, "Sumac," 7/70, OMB.

B. Jacques, "Dandelion in Grass," 7/70, OMB.

W. Drewes, "Arizona Evening," 7/70, OMB. W. Drewes, "Canyon Entrance," 7/70, OMB. W. Drewes, "Summer Bouquet," 7/70, OMB.

W. Drewes, "Cherries," 7/70, OMB.
W. Drewes, "March Forest," 7/70, OMB.

Charles Culver, "Elk," no date, Camp David.

W. Warder, "Sandia Mountains," no date, Camp David.

F. Petrie, "Stevensburg Bridge," no date, Camp David.

"Gloucester Boat," no date, F. Petrie. Camp David.

F. Petrie, "Garrett Mountain," no date, Camp David.

R. Thompson, "Deer Family," no date, Camp David.

B. Jacques, "Madonna Lilies," no date, Camp David.

Jacques, "Anemones," no date, Camp David.

B. Jacques, "Magnolia Blossoms," no date, Camp David.

K. Matsubara, "A Young Couple," no date, Camp David.

C. Heil, "Young Blue Jay," no date, Camp David.

J. Allen, "Wood Ibis," no date, Camp David. K. Marek, "Flight to the Moon," no date, Camp David.

P. Giddens, "Port of Calvi, Corsica," no date, White House.

Gernand, "Flowers," no date, White House. C. F. Sahlin, "Macumbe Ceremony," 7/70, OMB.

C. F. Sahlin, "Mayas of Yucatan," 7/70, OMB.

W. H. Holmes, "Landscape," no date, Camp

W. H. Holmes, "On the Coast of Calif.," 8/71, Camp David.

R. Wilvers, "Country Church, Kettle Moraine Area, Wis.," 12/71, President's Commission on White House Fellowships.

David Glines, "Winter Triptych," 12/71, President's Commission on White House Fellowships.

Mitchell Jamieson, Untitled, 1/72, White House,

W. H. Holmes, "Maryland Wheat Fields," 5/72, President Nixon. Charles Culver, "Bucks," 6/72 Camp David.

A. Philbrick, "Sloop at Anchor," 6/72, Camp David.

Paul Smith, "Pirates Alley," 6/72, Camp David.

E. Y. Soderberg, "Leaping Ahead," 6/72, Camp David.

E. Fulwider, "Highway to Lewis & Clark

.," 6/72, Camp David. Ivan Summers, "Old Senate House, Kingston," 6/72, Camp David.
Ted Kautsky, "Tidewater Creek, Oregon,"

6/72, Vice President Agnew Unknown, "A Scouting Party," no date,

Camp David. Unknown, "The Advance of the Calvary Skirmish Line," no date, Camp David.

Unknown, "A New Map of Va. & Md. & Improved Pars . . ," no date, Camp David.

Unknown (after C. G. Bush), "The Ceremonies of Dedication of the Natl Cemetery

"no date, Camp David.
Unknown, "Pictorial Map of the Seat of War, Showing Partist . . .," no date, Camp David.

Unknown (After E. Forbes), "Battle of

Antietam," no date, Camp David.
Unknown (after E. Forbes), "Invasion of Md., 1864, Driving off Cattle," no date, Camp David.

Unknown (after A. R. Waud), "Reminiscences of the Md. Campaign," no date, Camp David.

Unknown (after C. E. Bonwill), "General , Buford's Engagement . . .," no date, Camp David.

Unknown (after E. Forbes), "The War in Md.," 8/72, Camp David.

Unknown (signed J. K. Naot), "The Rebel Army Crossing . . .," 8/72, Camp David.

Unknown, "Grand Review of Gen. Thomas' Brigade in Western Md. . . ," 8/72, Camp David.

Unknown, "View of Md. Heights," 8/72, Camp David.

"View on the James River Unknown, Canal," 8/72, Camp David.

Unknown, (after Theodore R. Davis), four sketches, 8/72, Camp David.

Unknown, (after Joshua Fry & Peter Jefferson), "A Map of the Most Inhabited Part of Va.," 8/72, Camp David.

J. Dalrymple, "Map of N.J., Md., Pa., Va.," 8/72, Camp David. Kurz & Allison, "Battle between the Moni-

tor & The Merrimac," 8/72, Camp David. D'Arcangelo, "Landscape II," 5/73, White

House. Sam Francis, "List Poster," 10/73, White House.

Cleve Gray, Untitled, 10/74, White House. George Story, "Abraham Lincoln," 1/75. White House.

Charles Henry, "Landscape," 12/74, President's Commission on White House Fellow-

Sir Aston Webb, "Locksmith's Shop." 12/74, President's Commission on White House Fellowships.

I. Kerr, "Dogs & Sied . . . ," 12/74, President's Commission on White House Fellowships.

L. Ochtman, "A Morning in Summer," 3/75, Vice President Rockefeller.

Arthur T. Hill, "After a Storm, Amangansett," 3/75. Vice President Rockefeller.

esident Rockefeller.

was Chapman, "Garden at the Tuil-Paris," 6/75, White House-Vice Presiockefeller.

ga Catlin, "Wife of Bear Catcher," Vhite House:

loorepart, "Water," 9/67, CIA. P. Robins, "Old Shoreham Cottage;"

tuever, "Old Houses in Bavaria," 9/67,

. MacKinnon, "Chelses," no date, no n.

Resenfield, "Ill., Small Town on the liver," 2/69, OMB.
Sample, "An American Road in Win-

/69, OMB. ●

USTICE IN EVERYDAY LIFE

HON. JOHN BRADEMAS

OF INDIANA

HE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Wednesday, June 28, 1978

BRADEMAS. Mr. Speaker, I hadrivilege on May 1, 1978 of having the Law Day address for the St. ir County Bar Association in South Ind., in the district I am honored resent in Congress.

address on this occasion was ded by Thomas L. Shaffer, professor at the University of Notre Dame ormer dean of the Notre Dame Law

fessor Shaffer addressed himself on ccasion to the meaning of justice. nink that his remarks on this oc-1 will be read by every Member of ouse of Representatives and Senate great interest and, indeed, benefit. asert at this point in the RECORD ext of Professor Shaffer's remarks...

JUSTICE IN EVERYDAY LIFE

problem with the idea of justice is t is too important. It is, like the ideas triotism and love of neighbor, funcly inaccessible, because we respect it uch.

cholar is not free to critize the idea of e, but he may be free to break it down ook at it in some of its simpler forms. dea might in that way become more üble.

aking the idea of justice down into a er form is somewhat like what Sigmund I did to the idea of psychological health s book "The Psychopathology of Everyife."

ud was the founder of modern medical ology. He spent his life laboring to cure who were disabled by manias and ria. Some of them were paralyzed. Some n't talk or sleep or eat. Freud used als to find the causes of these disabili-He invented psychoanalysis as a way to his patients to the discovery of the

career was among abnormal people. Heed this, and noticed that his work led. to ignore the oddities, curious events, foulups which make ordinary life unortable and interesting.

he Psychopathology of Everyday Life" about the ordinary and the normal in. vay our minds work. It's a nice book, as s on psychology go, because it uncovers us for ripples in the routine:

eud left his umbrella at a friend's house, tried to figure out why, and realized that

Branville Smith; "Grey Day," 10/75, he left it because he likest being at his friend's house; he hated to leave, and he left a bit of himself—his umbrella--behind.

I am summoned to a meeting I don't want to attend. I say 'T'lli be glad to come." But when I go, I forgot to bring papers I need for the meeting. Did I really "forget" them? Didn't I really leave them because I'm telling myself something about boring meetings? I am fighting, but haven't admitted it.

Freud told about a patient of his whose wife had given him a book. Patient and wife weren't getting along. The patient lost the new book before he had a chance to read it. He looked everywhere; he could not find the book.

Six months later, when the patient and his wife were getting along better, the patient found the book, in an obvious place in his desk.

That's the "Psychopathology of Everyday Life." Freud's conclusion was that ordinary accidents and incidents of absentmindedness are not accidents at all.

There is also justice in everyday life, which is to cases in courts what Freud's lost umbrells was to psychoanalysis.

ORDINARY JUSTICE OF EVERY DAY LIFE:

Ordinary justice is what we people give one to another because we hope to be able to live together. This justice is a quiet, everyday thing. Our access to justice is quiet and ordinary, too-as quiet and ordinary as the psychopathology of everyday life...

Contracts are an example. Law students. study complex cases of disputed contracts. Hollywood even makes movies about law studenta studying contract disputes. The courts in one Indiana county may decide a hundred lawsuits this month and which involve contracts. But today, in the same county, tens of thousands of contracts will be performed without dispute—everything from two neighbors who agree to share the cost of repairing common driveway to a term loan agreement. to finance a new factory at the edge of town.

For every lawsuit over a will which is tried in our courts, hundreds of wills are opened, read, and quietly carried out.

For every criminal case which goes to trial, hundreds of violations and the law are resolved or avoided by police officers, public officials, and such ingenious institutions as the night prosecutor's office in St. Joseph County:

All of this happens because most of us are willing to give justice to one another. We are willing; even, to give more than justice; we are willing to pay a little extra as an investment in order and mutual confidence and a peaceful community:

And so, if we are wise enough, we don't demand all our rights. The mortgage com-pany takes a late payment. The man next door throws my son's ball back over the fence. The police officer takes more abuse than he should have to take from a drunk or a cocky teenager.

That is the justice of everyday life, and everyday life is our main access to justice. Everyday justice is not an accident, anymore than the psychopathology of everyday life is an accident.

JUSTICE IS A VIRTUE

The justice of everday life depends on good will, but the good will on which everday justice depends is not good will at large. It is not a matter of my extending kindness when I feel like being kind. The good will on which justice depends is more disciplined than that. This good will has been built on habit—the habit of justice under law. That's what we mean when we say justice is a virtue. That it is a habit. Virtues are good-

One reason tens of thousands of contracts are being performed today, without dispute;. is that we expect one another to keep promises. And every year hundreds of lawyers

and other citizens work those rules over, not to create lawsuits, but to prevent lawsuits.
Lawyers and legislators in Indiana have

been revising the rules on probate of wills, almost continuously, since: 1953—not. so. there will be more wills: in court, but so that there will be fewer wills in court.

For most people, justice is not a matter of going to court. It is a matter of habit. It. is. a matter, first, of a personal good habit. Justice is also a social good habit; the social good habit is what we call government under law.

Justice is not a gift of the government. It? it is a gift at all, it is a gift we give one another. Before justice is anything else, it is our willingness to work things out together. And then it is our willingness to work out rules for one another to follow. This willing. ness to work out the rules is what we mean by "justice under law." Our access to justice is an assurance that most of us, most of the time; will keep our promises, will follow what our relatives say in their wills; and will givedecent-respect to police officers. JUSTICE AND THE LAW

Law comes into this at the point at which we begin to expect things from one another. Law is the conversation we have when we try to work out those expectations. If myneighbor and I cannot agree on who should fix the driveway, we are going to have to-turn somewhere for a settlement of our diaagreement. What we turn to is the experience of the community on fixing driveways. This includes our own experience, and our own. attempt to make sense of our experience...

This is not a turning away from the virtue. of justice, but it is turning away from reliance solely on good will Good will is not necessarily a habit; it is not as dependable as a habit. But justice is a habit; it is more dependable than good will. The virtue of justice is involved when my neighbor and L disagree on repairing the driveway because the experience of the community on fixing, driveways backs up to an idea about what a just person, a virtuous person, should do in the circumstances. In this way, law backs up to a challenge to our better selves. When it is any good at all, law is a challenge to our better selves.

When my neighbor and I turn to the experience of the community, we are likely to-end up consulting what a virtuous person should do, whether we realize it or not. That's what happens when people turn to the law. Law is what we have decided together to expect of one another. As my colleague and friend, Professor Stanley Hauerwas says, law is the space God gives us to work things outfor ourselves.

Of course, force is involved. Part of the idea of law is that force will be used, if necessary, to enforce the rules we have decided to have. Justice under law is a noble idea, but it is also a sad truth. We have found out that we cannot get along with good will alone. We have to work out rules. And we have to enforce the rules.

But government under law means that the rules come before the force. The rules we have worked out together come first; thenthe force, if force is necessary—and it is usually not necessary: For every broken law there are a million instances of law obeyed-The justice in everyday life, dispenses, for the most part, with any need for force.

It is as important as anything can be not to confuse justice with force. Force comesfrom the government, but justice does not come from the government. Justice is the gift. we give one another as we go about living under the law, and as we go about making the law fit our lives. Our truthfulness in doing this is where justice comes from:

Justice is not the result of power. It is not the result of force. The idea that govern ments provide goodness—that power provides justice—is where tyranny begins.

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